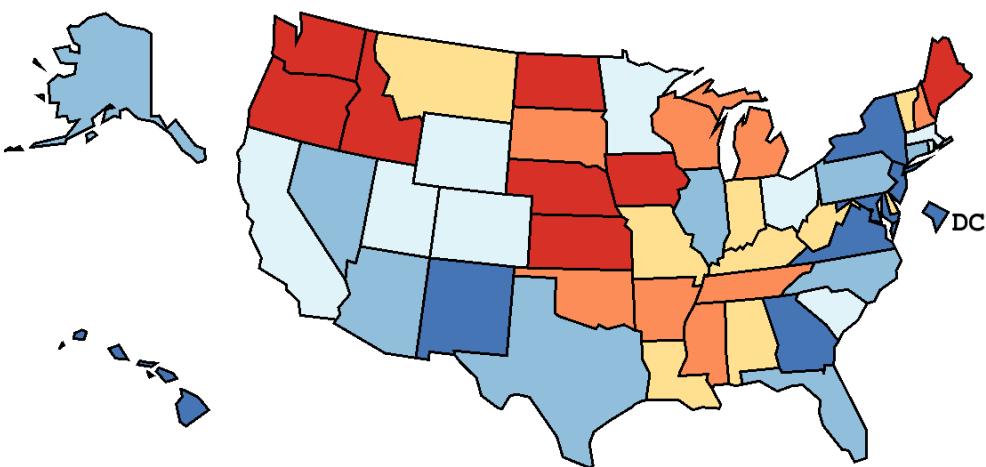


Table 3.18
Cancer of the Brain and Other Nervous System (Invasive)

Age-Adjusted Cancer Death^a Rates By State, All Races, 2005-2009

Males and Females

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
TOTAL U.S.	4.28	0.02							
High Five States									
Iowa	5.53 ^b	0.18	(01)	29.17 ^c					
Oregon	5.19 ^b	0.16	(02)	21.37 ^c					
Idaho	5.14	0.27	(03)	20.13 ^c					
Nebraska	5.12 ^b	0.24	(04)	19.77 ^c					
Washington	5.12 ^b	0.13	(05)	19.74 ^c					
Low Five States									
New York	3.70 ^b	0.06	(47)	-13.53					
New Jersey	3.69 ^b	0.09	(48)	-13.83					
New Mexico	3.66	0.19	(49)	-14.47					
D.C.	3.47	0.35	(50)	-18.91 ^c					
Hawaii	2.39 ^b	0.19	(51)	-44.16 ^c					
State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
Alabama	4.58	0.14	(19)	6.98	Montana	4.53	0.29	(23)	5.76
Alaska	4.20	0.43	(36)	-1.77	Nebraska	5.12 ^b	0.24	(04)	19.77 ^c
Arizona	4.11	0.11	(38)	-3.84	Nevada	4.10	0.18	(39)	-4.10
Arkansas	4.95 ^b	0.18	(10)	15.62 ^c	New Hampshire	4.76	0.26	(14)	11.24
California	4.31	0.05	(32)	0.71	New Jersey	3.69 ^b	0.09	(48)	-13.83
Colorado	4.40	0.14	(29)	2.72	New Mexico	3.66	0.19	(49)	-14.47
Connecticut	4.22	0.15	(35)	-1.47	New York	3.70 ^b	0.06	(47)	-13.53
Delaware	4.54	0.31	(21)	6.15	North Carolina	4.05	0.09	(41)	-5.36
D.C.	3.47	0.35	(50)	-18.91 ^c	North Dakota	5.01	0.39	(08)	17.20 ^c
Florida	3.95 ^b	0.06	(42)	-7.79	Ohio	4.44	0.08	(27)	3.66
Georgia	3.87 ^b	0.10	(45)	-9.58	Oklahoma	4.68	0.16	(15)	9.36
Hawaii	2.39 ^b	0.19	(51)	-44.16 ^c	Oregon	5.19 ^b	0.16	(02)	21.37 ^c
Idaho	5.14	0.27	(03)	20.13 ^c	Pennsylvania	4.10	0.08	(40)	-4.23
Illinois	3.89 ^b	0.08	(43)	-9.11	Rhode Island	4.24	0.27	(34)	-0.96
Indiana	4.62	0.12	(17)	7.89	South Carolina	4.33	0.14	(31)	1.27
Iowa	5.53 ^b	0.18	(01)	29.17 ^c	South Dakota	4.93	0.35	(11)	15.29 ^c
Kansas	5.07 ^b	0.19	(07)	18.39 ^c	Tennessee	4.99 ^b	0.12	(09)	16.67 ^c
Kentucky	4.49	0.14	(24)	4.88	Texas	4.18	0.06	(37)	-2.26
Louisiana	4.53	0.14	(22)	5.85	Utah	4.46	0.21	(26)	4.32
Maine	5.12	0.26	(06)	19.74 ^c	Vermont	4.47	0.36	(25)	4.54
Maryland	3.78 ^b	0.12	(46)	-11.57	Virginia	3.87 ^b	0.10	(44)	-9.48
Massachusetts	4.24	0.11	(33)	-0.80	Washington	5.12 ^b	0.13	(05)	19.74 ^c
Michigan	4.86 ^b	0.10	(13)	13.61	West Virginia	4.57	0.21	(20)	6.91
Minnesota	4.33	0.13	(30)	1.28	Wisconsin	4.90 ^b	0.13	(12)	14.44
Mississippi	4.67	0.18	(16)	9.04	Wyoming	4.40	0.41	(28)	2.86
Missouri	4.58	0.12	(18)	6.99					



Age-Adjusted Death
Rates per 100,000
Quantile Interval

- 5.00 - 5.53
- 4.63 - 4.99
- 4.47 - 4.62
- 4.23 - 4.46
- 3.88 - 4.22
- 2.39 - 3.87

U.S. Rate: 4.28

^a US Mortality Files, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Std Population (19 age groups - Census P25-1130).

^b Difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is statistically significant ($p \leq .0002$).

^c Absolute percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is 15% or more.

SE Standard error of the rate.

PD Percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate.

- Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 16 cases for the time interval.